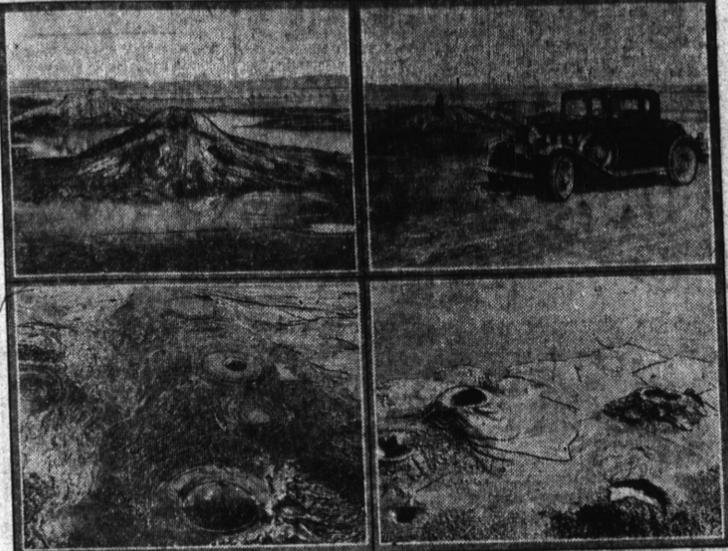


Yes—There Are Volcanoes in Southern California!



Strange as it may seem, in Southern California—the land of movie stars and beaches—there are volcanoes. They are located in the desert near Salton Sea. Above are pictured volcanic mud eruptions, a whim of Mother Nature. A geologist traveled there recently in a Chevrolet coupe to study the phenomena. Tons of silt from the Colorado River, heat, pressure and readjustment of strata are responsible for the mud volcanoes.

Taxpayers League Meeting at High School Auditorium

Members of the Taxpayers and Voters League will assemble at the Torrance high school auditorium next Thursday evening, March 24, at a meeting called by the president, Beverly B. Smith.

Speakers for the occasion will be Leo V. Youngworth, Los Angeles attorney; Clair Woodliffe, district attorney; Norman Lyon, of the Los Angeles Realty Board; John T. Gaffey, of San Pedro, founder of the Taxpayers League; and Charles J. Colden, of San Pedro, former city councilman. A debate on the Shastky oil control measure to be voted on May 3 will be a part of the proceedings.

In discussing the situation confronting the workingman, property owner and investor in California and the nation today, Mr. Smith says: "No subject is being more discussed or given more space in our papers than that given to the discussion of taxes, with the possible exception of the depression."

"The real cause of the high taxes and depression, can undoubtedly be traced to pretty much the same source. They are the result of our having lived in a fool's paradise, where we became intoxicated with the idea that we were prosperous, or were so foolish as to imagine that we were on the road that leads to prosperity."

"Tax values were based upon those fictitious and inflated values and tax collections are made thereon, instead of the true and same values, and when the props were knocked out from under the flimsy structure we came back to earth with a dull thud. The imaginary wealth vanished in thin air, leaving us to deal with badly inflated industries and saddled with a political system that threatens to shatter governments throughout the universe."

"In spite of all the discussion of taxes, how many people can tell you why they are paying taxes, and why taxes are continually on the increase? Taxes is the subject that is the cause of more or less worry, or at least, discussion, in every department of government, beginning with the federal government in Washington, on down to the little town, school district and township."

"Unfortunately, the fellow who has been giving the most thought to taxes is not the fellow who pays the most taxes and is interested in tax reduction, it has been the fellow who is continually seeking new and additional tax sources for new and additional taxes. These are the fellows who are dependent upon tax collections. He may be an office contractor, a political boss, political contractor, or a fellow who has something to sell to our officials at a good profit. We read much about the deficit in the federal treasury for the fiscal year that ended with last June. It amounted to about one billion dollars, and the treasury department forecasts that the deficit for the next 12 months will be about one and one-half billions of dollars. Now what is the occasion for the large deficit? They tell us it is the depression. Naturally we lay all our business ills on the depression."

"No one ever mentions the wonderful and elaborate political machine that was built up in this country during the war and that period of prosperity that followed the war and ended in late 1929. They continue to tell us it was a great period of prosperity, such as no country had ever experi-

enced. Was it not the period in which the great political machines were constructed and a number of great fortunes built in Wall Street with the aid of that elaborate political machine, leaving the farming industry in the hole and labor in the soup and bread lines? "It perhaps should be referred to as a period of concentration of wealth in the hands of a few, by and with the consent and approval of the government. They never refer to the fact that the government has become involved in almost every form of activity that continues to afford the opportunity for a raid on the public treasury that benefits only the politicians. Too many folks have the idea we are getting something for nothing when it comes from the treasury of some branch of government in the form of federal aid, state aid or some other forms of political aids. Federal and state aid in most instances are fundamentally unsound, as it is hardly possible for any branch of government to lend any special aid to any activity or project without it first gathers or extracts the funds from humanity through some costly process, then it must create boards and commissions and appoint inspectors to supervise the allotments and expenditures, which all happen to be political bodies, so there is an extra shrinkage in the original dollar before it finds its way back to suffering humanity. "Just settle down and investigate in what way you may have helped to increase the tax burden in your local community. Have you been guilty of getting something for nothing, that is, at the expense of the other fellow—perhaps I should make myself plain by saying at the expense of the public?"

"If so, you have in a measure added to the tax burden in your community. Don't get the idea that you can get something for nothing at the expense of the other fellow, or public, without the other fellow learning of it. "He will try the same thing, regardless of whether he needs it or not, and whether it be of any special benefit to him. "The members of the various taxpayers leagues are not a bunch of radicals, we are simply citizens who are organizing ourselves together to assist our public officials and to co-operate with them in carving down the expenses in our government, that is, if they will co-operate with us; otherwise we intend to put men in public office who will. Taxpayers should beware of the politician who throws cold water on their organization."

"BEVERLY B. SMITH, "President Torrance-Lomita Taxpayers League."

NOTICE After this date, March 17, 1932, we will not be responsible for debts contracted in the name of the American Beauty and Barber Shop, 1511 Cabrillo Ave. CHARLES A. TANSEY ETHEL TANSEY.

Take the family somewhere. Two people can go places on Dollar Day tickets for less than the usual fare for one person. Children under 5 years ride free from 5 to 11 years, for half Dollar Day fares. Do you want some friend or relative to visit you? Send a Dollar Day "Prepaid Order." Our agent will arrange ticket delivery to anyone you specify. Buy tickets... make reservations now.

Southern Pacific J. C. NEWTON, Agent, Pacific Electric Station, Ph. Torrance 28.

Shoe Repairing Prices Reduced! Beginning Friday, Hoffman Will Put On MEN'S HALF SOLES AND HEELS Choice of Leather or Composition Soles LADIES' HALF SOLES AND HEELS Any Kind Rubber Heels Put On, 25c Work Done While You Wait. Get the Best for Less. We Are Not Cobblers.—We're Shoe Makers Hoffman Shoe Store Sartori Ave., Opposite Woolworth's, Torrance

Quorum Lacking At Council Meet

Councilman Steiner and City Clerk Bartlett were the only members of Torrance's official family to report at the regular meeting hour of the city council, Tuesday night, and the meeting was adjourned until the next regular meeting on April 5 due to lack of a quorum. It was learned that Mayor Dennis was ill and that both Councilmen Bell and Smith were absent from the city on important business.

Water Offer It is assumed that the offer of the Torrance Water, Light and Power Company to supply free water to the unemployed for raising vegetables on vacant lots will be considered by the council at the April 5 meeting.

Read Our Want Ads

S-P DOLLAR DAYS! for the EASTER HOLIDAYS

TICKETS GOOD ON ALL TRAINS LEAVING MARCH THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY 24 25 26 27 BE BACK BY MIDNIGHT, APRIL 5

A FEW SAMPLE ROUNDTRIPS:

Table with columns: Round Trip, Dollar Day, Regular. Rows include San Francisco, Portland, Del Monte, Phoenix, El Paso, Santa Barbara, Reno.

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national colors and combinations of white or eggshell and red or blue and the use of glass, metal or pearl buttons set in two rows, further accent this trend.

The afternoon dresses will be of flat crepe and semi-sheer materials of ankle length; the almost formal or Sunday night type of

gown of ankle length will be featured.

Dress coats with fitted lines and straight skirts sans flares will be fashioned of rough surfaced wools, boucles and curled yarns. Coats for sports of tweeds and similar fabrics with straight fitted lines and wide shoulder effects show collars adjustable in many ways, some being featured by soarts or reverses.

The popular polo type coat at prices to suit the average pocket-book will also be shown. The latest in hats include the Touque

Tam and Gigolo crown types with ripple brim and side roll effects.

Sports sweaters of lace knit wool have been taken from the import models heretofore shown only in higher priced sweaters.

Tailors for this bridge luncheon and style show may be secured from members of the Auxiliary or may be purchased at the door.

Miss Mott, who has during the past three years been touring the United States, will leave shortly to lecture for the Department of Education of the State of Illinois.

American Beauty Barber Shop Sold; Tanseys Leaving

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Tansey, proprietors of the American Beauty and Barber Shop, 1511 Cabrillo, sold the business to Frank Marshall of Long Beach and gave possession today. The deal was closed last night. Mr. Marshall is an experienced barber, said to be the best "personality" hair-cutter

in this district. He will be in charge of the barber shop, while Miss Bee Christensen has been retained to manage the beauty parlor. Mr. and Mrs. Tansey are making arrangements to move to Long Beach where they have obtained a concession in the new market building now under construction on East Broadway, between Long and Atlantic.

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Safeway Again Smashes BREAD PRICE!



FEATURE 16-OZ. (Not Sliced) 3 LOAVES 10c

Single Loaf 4c Two Loaves 7c 24-oz. Loaf 5c Toastee Sliced (16-oz.) 5c

Again, Safeway brings economy to the homes of Southern California. We intend to continue rendering a food service that deserves your patronage on merit. In this instance it's quality bread.



LUX SOAP FLAKES 19c

MILK EVAPORATED 5c

MAXIMUM BRAND is becoming an outstanding favorite with Safeway customers. This is our regular price on the tall can. Do not pay more than five cents for canned milk. Buy it at Safeway. TALL CAN 5c

EGGS Large Local Lemita Doz. 17c

BUTTER Torrance Store Only La France Per lb. 24c

BUDWEISER MALT Light syrup, 3-lb. can 49c

SMALL WHITE BEANS (Navy) 3 lbs. 19c GREEN SPLIT PEAS in cellophane pkgs., 2 lbs. 19c LENTILS. Fine for soups—cellophane-packed, 2 lbs. 19c

FRESH GARDEN PEAS The early spring peas are now at all Safeway-operated produce departments. 15c Pounds

YOLO PICKLES. Whole, sweet or sweet-mixed, qt. 29c YOLO PICKLES Whole, dill or sour, qt. 23c

FRESH MILK GRADE "A" MILK—A quality which tests twenty-one per cent richer than the popular LUCERNE requires. This fact alone makes LUCERNE MILK the greatest Fresh Milk Value in the entire west. Get acquainted with Lucerne and know just how good real good milk can be. Quart 9c

Pre-Easter HAMMS One of the largest shipments of hams this season. Cudahy's famous Puritan skinned hams. Whole or full halves. 17c POUND

COFFEE Airway brand. A surprisingly fast-selling coffee that is pleasing thousands of coffee-drinkers at every meal. It is not a heavy blend, but finely flavored, which no doubt accounts for its popularity. 1 pound ground to your order. 17c

DRY LIMA BEANS in cellophane pkgs., 2 lbs. 19c DRY BABY LIMAS in cellophane pkgs., 3 lbs. 19c FORMAY (formerly Par-fay Shortening) 1-lb. can 23c

Ham Shank or Butt Cuts Excellent for cooking with fresh vegetables. 15c POUND

STOKELY'S CORN. Country Gentleman, No. 2 can, 2 cans 25c BISHOP'S CHOCOLATE Ground, 1 lb. 29c

PEAS ARGO Brand. These peas are not small in size, yet they are tender and very sweet. They have an exceptional flavor, and anyone may be proud to serve them. No. 2 tins. 25c

HORMEL HAMMS Flavor sealed. No trouble to prepare—marvelous quality and real economy. 89c

DROMEDARY DATES (Golden) Pasteurized, 10-oz. 20c MACARONI-SPAGHETTI Superior Brand, 8-oz. pkg. 7c

SAFWAY FLOUR 24 1/2-lb. sack, 65c; No. 10 sack 33c GRAPE-NUTS FLAKES The new breakfast treat. 7-oz. pkg. 10c

PORK ROASTS Whole shank cut, pound. 9c BEEF ROASTS Shoulder chuck, pound. 10c

BAB-O BAB-O won its fame through its efficiency in the bathroom. Makes tubs, tiles, basins and bowls glitter. Here's one item you should include among your Spring cleaning needs. 16-oz. can 12c

CUT STRING BEANS Roly Poly Brand, No. 2 can 10c PRUNES These are not large prunes—they are small, nourishing sweet sugar. The pits are small in proportion, providing the same amount of fruit per pound. At this price, this offer will supply an average family with breakfast prunes for several weeks. 4 pounds 19c

FRESH FISH Direct from the cold waters of the North Pacific, Safeway has obtained tons of fresh fish for Lenten menus. SALMON pound 17c HALIBUT pound 15c

JOHNSON'S FLOOR WAX pt. (liquid) 57c; lb. can (paste) 63c HOT CROSS BUNS Serve them hot, six for 10c

OAK GLEN TOMATOES Solid pack, No. 2 1/2 can 15c KRAFT CHEESE SPREAD Cream, pineapple, pineapple. 4-oz. cup 19c

KRAFT CHEESE, American brick, pimiento, Swiss. 1/2-lb. pkg. 19c

ASST CHOCOLATE CAKES. Nat. Biscuit Co., lb. 25c PAR SOAP Do not confuse this high-grade soap product with washing powder or soap powders. It quickly produces a volume of cleansing suds which leaves your glassware and dishes clean and sparkling. Par is a real washday friend. Large package 35c

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